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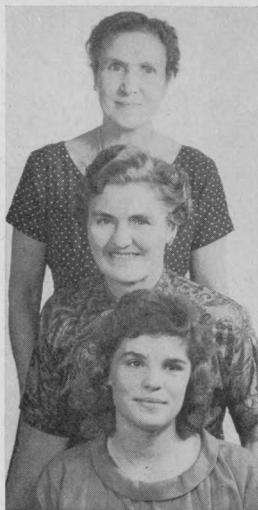
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THE COVER

The hot summer sun beams down on us and, briefly, we revel in its rays. Which activity is yours or are you the all-round outdoor type? Make the most of it! Our Manitoba summer is so short that it must be intense and intensely enjoyed.



Three Generations of Eatonians

Here we have three generations of Tustins who are presently employed at Eaton's in Winnipeg: top, Mrs. Florence Tustin, retired from the M.O. Exchanges some time ago but in to lend a hand for the summer, mother of Mrs. Hilda (Tustin) Clements, centre, who now sells part-time in the Hosiery, main floor, and who worked for M.O. Yard Goods for 18 years before her marriage. The bottom of the picture shows our latest addition to the Eaton-Tustin family, Shirley Clements, who is working in M.O. Sportswear for the summer and planning to return to Tech-Voc to continue her Grade 10 Commercial. She is now 16 and taking shorthand and typing—a prospect for a secretary for some lucky office in a year or two.

Mrs. Tustin and her daughters will be remembered, too, for their activities in swimming. Mrs. Tustin organized the Eaton Women's Swimming Club about 25 years ago and many owe her gratitude for her able instructions in that art.

Happy Birthday!

Eaton's in Winnipeg Celebrates the 55th Anniversary of the Opening of the Store!

Another Birthday rolls around as this issue of Contacts appears. Fifty-five years have passed since the day the doors of the Store building were first opened—a great day for Eaton's and a great day for Winnipeg. Many changes and great expansion have taken place but the fundamental policy of "Goods Satisfactory or Money Refunded" continues to be the basis of our phenomenal success.

We shall continue to expand and give service — the kind of service always associated with the name of Eaton's. The only people who can make this possible are those loyal and competent people who make up our staff—whether they belong to the selling force or the service personnel. Each employee contributes his part and it all adds up to the achievement of which we have good reason to be proud.

Months ago the selection of goods for the Birthday Sale was made. Plans and advertising have been in progress now for weeks. The final touches will be put to the preparation in the last week and the last days before the Birthday. New staff has been trained and former members of our staff have been organized to augment our forces for that day. These helpers will follow the example of those who are regular Eatonians. That example will be up to the standard set in previous years and cheerful helpfulness will be the order of the day. This is the procedure on which our reputation for service is based. This Birthday will follow the same pattern.

When the doors open on Saturday, July 16, the day we celebrate our Birthday though the actual date is July 17, great crowds will throng through those doors to examine the values that have been advertised, confident that they will not be disappointed. This is our opportunity to prove again that values and service go hand in hand at Eaton's. **Let's All Make It a Memorable Birthday!**



25 YEARS WITH EATON'S

MR. NELSON GRANT



Mr. Grant, who is in charge of the Heavy Goods Depot at Flin Flon, was in Winnipeg on Wednesday, June 15, partly to start celebrating his 25th anniversary with the Company which was on June 17. Mr. Dale Stewart held a stag party at his home that evening, entertaining the many men who have been associated with Mr. Grant through the years in the selling of stoves, refrigerators and other heavy electrical appliances.

On the next Saturday afternoon and evening, Mr. Grant, having returned to Flin Flon, had his entire staff out to his summer home at the lake for a picnic and party. We wonder how long it lasted—but feel sure it was one of the season's outstanding events.

Mr. Grant started his career with the Company selling electric stoves, then worked in the Warehouse and in 1939 went to Flin Flon as a commission salesman, taking charge there in 1940. He is married, has a married son and two grandchildren. His summer home on Lake Athapapawskow is 20 miles from Flin Flon and is called Hiapap-Hoose. He can pronounce these names beautifully. Mr. Grant plans a three-week trip to Vancouver in November. His many friends and associates join in wishing him good health, happiness and every success.

MISS MARJORIE McKENZIE



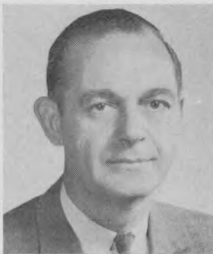
Mis Marjorie McKenzie, Signature in the M.O. Salesroom, celebrated 25 years with the Company on July 8. She started as a Mail Order messenger, worked in various departments and joined the Salesroom staff 20 years ago. She has been a Signature there for 15 years and is the person who knows all the details of Salesroom work.

Marjorie was born in Scotland and came with her family to Canada in her early teens. She says she is an amateur gardener. We think her gardening will follow her usual trend and be a pretty professional job. Though she golfs usually, she has given it up for this year. Marj plans to split her holiday and take it quietly.

On Friday, July 8, her department gave her a breakfast at the St. Regis where she was presented with a gift of luggage and later in the morning another gift of a sun cart was given her by her department. Her beautifully decorated desk was loaded with small gifts, tokens of the esteem in which she is held. Her gift from the Company was a dinner ring.

Her many friends and fellow-workers wish her the best of health and happiness and a long and successful life.

MR. D. S. MARSHALL



Mr. Scott Marshall, Assistant in the M.O. Salesroom, joined the Quarter-Century Club on Friday, June 17. On that morning he was honoured by a breakfast party at the St. Regis attended by the members of his department and was given a golf bag. He returned to his department to find his desk decorated and was later presented with a gift of lamps and many smaller tokens of the esteem in which he is held. His gift from the Company was a watch.

Mr. Marshall started in the Store Fancy Goods Department and also worked in the Notions. In 1947 he moved to M.O. Notions where he was Assistant and in 1957 he came to Salesroom. He has been president of the Eaton Men's Golf Club and of the Assistants' Association.

Mr. Marshall is married and has two daughters, ages 7 and 10. His wife was the former Doris Smith, head office girl in the Lower-Priced Store. They have a summer home at Whytewold where much of his longer holiday will be spent.

Congratulations, Scott, and may good health, happiness and good luck attend you through a long career.

MR. VICTOR H. BLACK



Mr. Black, of the Optical Department, reached his 25th anniversary on Friday, July 8. He has worked for this department since he started with the Company. He served five years with the R.C.A.F. during the war.

Mr. Black is married and has a six-year-old daughter. These days he spends his spare time finishing his new home and grounds and finds it keeps him busy. On his long holiday he is taking a motor trip to the U.S. and spending some time in Bemidji. As he left before his anniversary on his holidays, a dinner and social evening was held in his honour at Zoratti's and was attended by the members of the Optical and the Hearing Aid Departments. Mr. Black was given a sun cot on this occasion. His gift from the Company was a watch.

Good health and happiness to you, Mr. Black, and use that sun cot.

HONOURED ON THEIR RETIREMENT

MR. JOHN FERGUSON



Mr. John Ferguson, M.O. Assembly, celebrated doubly on Wednesday, June 29, as it was his 35th anniversary as well as his retirement date. He is retiring early due to ill health brought on by war injuries. He served in World War II in the Army for three and a half years. In spite of his disabilities he leads an active life and hopes, as do all his friends, to continue his interests for many years. He is moving to Vancouver and will live there with his sister but plans to pay us periodic visits.

On the morning of June 29 his desk was beautifully decorated and he was presented by his associates with a trunk and a camera outfit and many additional individual gifts. He has served his full 35 years with 122 Department.

Mr. Ferguson has contributed largely to the musical life of Winnipeg and will be remembered outside as well as inside the Company. He is a trained operatic tenor, sang with the Philharmonic Choir for 28 years, the Male Voice Choir for 24 years and Knox Church Choir for 28 years. He has often contributed to Eaton occasions. He still swims at the Y.M.C.A. and received an Award of Honour from that organization in 1942. He is the proud holder of the undefeated record for 50 yards, Manitoba championship though he admits he could not defend the honour today.

Good luck, good health and happiness to you, John, in your more leisurely new way of life.

MRS. GERTRUDE GREGORY



Mrs. Gregory was honoured by her department at a dinner at the Town and Country on the occasion of her retirement from Department 541, Women's Dresses and Coats. She was presented with two handsome pieces of luggage. Her retirement day was June 30 and she has been with the department for ten years. Mrs. Gregory, as Gertrude Pearson, had also worked for the the Company for four years in the Notions Department previous to her marriage in 1921. Mr. Gregory is retired, too, and they plan to spend their summers at their cottage at Grand Marais and their winters, if present plans mature, in California.

They have a son and a daughter, both married, and five grandchildren. It was a pleasure to hear Mrs. Gregory talk of her happy memories of the customers and co-workers she has met and her inspiring experiences as a salesperson. We all wish her long years of happiness and good health.

MRS. ANNE NEWTON

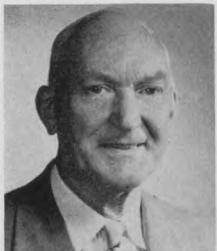


Mrs. Newton, of Junior Dresses and Coats, Fourth Floor, retired on Thursday, June 30, after eight years of successful selling in that department. She lives at Stony Mountain and commutes to the city each day, and her first plan on retirement is to take a whole month at home.

Mrs. Newton has two married sons and seven grandchildren. Her interests include church work, Eastern Star activities, local hospital work and, of course, homemaking. Her husband is also retired.

A dinner party was held in her honour on Monday, June 6, at the Town and Country. She was presented, at that time, with a leather fire bench by the department. We all join her friends, customers and fellow-workers in wishing her many happy and healthy years of retirement.

MR. JAMES BURNS



Mr. James Burns, M.O. Linens and Bedding, who retired on Thursday, June 30, joined the staff of the Adjusting Bureau on May 29, 1923. He worked in various departments of both Store and Mail Order and settled down in Department 36, M.O. Linens and Bedding, 17 years ago. He has been a Signature there in recent years and is noted for his genial co-operation and his contribution to every department where he has worked.

On the morning of his retirement Mr. Burns received a mirror from his department as a token of their esteem. A dinner was held in his honour at Chan's on June 24 (see Department News).

Mr. Burns is married, has three married daughters and eight grandchildren. His interests include his garden, church work and lodge activities and these will keep him busy right here in Winnipeg, where he plans to continue to live. Good health, happiness and good fortune are the wishes that follow you, Mr. Burns.

Retirements continued on Pages 6 and 7

40th

Anniversary



MR. DOUGLAS R. SCOTT

Mr. Scott, Department 1077 (Electrical Work-room), celebrated 40 years of employment with Eaton's on Thursday, June 30, all with the same department. He saw six years of service with the navy in World War 1 and has a long-service medal. Mr. Scott is married and has five daughters and two granddaughters.

On Thursday morning, June 23, his department presented him with a barbecue to add to the equipment of his garden, and on the Saturday evening following, at a party held in his honour at the home of his Manager, Mr. Lloyd Waddell, the accessories needed for use with it were given to him. The party was a very enjoyable event.

His friends and co-workers join in wishing Mr. Scott many years of happiness and health and trust his well-equipped garden is a great joy to him.

Forty-Five Years with Eaton's

MISS M. ALBERTA CARRUTHERS



On June 28, 1915, a new girl started work in Eaton's, Winnipeg, as a runner in the Exchange Department, and on June 28, 1960, she completed 45 years of continuous service with the Company—an enviable record. That girl is known to many in both Mail Order and Store as "Bertie" Carruthers or more formally, Miss Alberta Carruthers. After working in various departments, both Store and Mail, she settled in M.O. Boys' Clothing in September, 1923, and has been with that department since. She is in charge of the office.

Miss Carruthers lives with her mother and sister and, besides the inevitable household tasks, finds time to knit and read. She loves to travel and left for a trip to Vancouver on June 24. The evening before, a dinner was held in her honour at Moore's at which Mr. A. Parker, her Department Manager, presented her with a transistor radio on behalf of her department staff.

We hope you have a happy holiday, Bertie, and the best of health and happiness in the years ahead.

Retirements—(Continued from Page Five)

MR. TED RISBEY



On Thursday, June 30, Mr. Ted Risbey of the Alexander Warehouse, retired after 31 years of service all spent in the Warehouse. He plans to stay in Winnipeg. Mr. Risbey has been married 41 years and has eight sons, two daughters and 18 grandchildren. He served overseas for three and a half years in World War 1 with the Fort Garry Horse.

On Friday, June 24, a party was held in Mr. Risbey's honour at the West Kildonan Legion. It was attended by his associates and their husbands and wives and a fine evening, including dancing, was enjoyed. At the party, Mr. Livingstone, Furniture Department, presented him with a pen and pencil set on behalf of those present.

On June 30 his department, with Mr. Spenceley officiating, gave him an electric razor and a steam iron as a token of their esteem. We all join in wishing Mr. Risbey long years of good health and happiness.



RETURN OF THE No. 2 CHARTER FLIGHT

The second overseas flight returned on schedule on Thursday, June 9 at 5 p.m. Friends and families crowded the airport foyer to greet them. What a long wait it seemed before they emerged from Customs, one by one, each looking happier than the one before! "Was it a good trip?" "Wonderful!" "How well you look." These were the words, and the smiling faces told the story. Later we gathered more details, confirmed by the pictures. Another successful pair of chartered flights. What about next year?

Retirements (Continued from Page 5)

MISS VERA NOBLE

Miss Vera Noble, who retired from the D.A. Office on Thursday, June 30, is well known to many Eatonians. She has worked for just over 40 years for the Company, the first 12 in the General Office and all the rest in the D.A. Office. Vera plans to remain in Winnipeg. She has a home in Wildewood Park and hopes to find time to do her gardening and odd jobs in a leisurely way when she is enjoying retirement. She will also have more time for her other interests.

Miss Noble was honoured by her department at a dinner at Zoratti's on Wednesday, June 29, at which she was presented with a lawn swing. On Thursday morning her desk was beautifully decorated and her many friends brought her gifts in token of the esteem in which she is held throughout the Store. We all join in wishing her long life, good health and happiness. Do make use of that swing!

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MRS. MARGARET CAMERON

Mrs. Margaret Cameron, of Women's Garment Alterations, retired on Thursday, June 30. She had been with us on this work for 12 years and her skill will be greatly missed. Mrs. Cameron has a family of one girl and two boys. She plans to do a little travelling in her leisure time, beginning with a trip to British Columbia this summer and probably to Florida next winter.

Alley bowling and curling were her sports but she now contents herself with gardening and is interested in the outdoors.

On her retirement day her co-workers presented her with a handsome Moorcroft vase. Further celebration of the event will take place later in the summer.



EATON MEN'S FAST-BALL TEAM

Our men, too, have a ball team. They play exhibition games at Sargent Park on Mondays and Wednesdays at 7 p.m. against outside teams. We hear these are very fast and hard-fought games and, as they play on another diamond at the same time as the girls are playing, suggest you go out and pick your ball game. See two games for the same admission—which is absolutely free. These are the boys on the team:

Bruce Dickie, 267
Dale Henwood, 166, Coach
Roy Wallace, 273
Jim Findlater, 267
Garry Klassen, 254, Pitcher
Bill Krilyk, 284
Dave Fisher, 1067
Paul Wodchyo, 55
Ed Bollenback, 277

Gerry Barker, 267
Bill Graham, 270
Don Atkins, 102
Lorne McVicar, 257
Gerry Warden, 267
R. W. Buckmaster, 258, Pitcher
Brunel Arcand, 267, Manager
Don Newhouse, Correspondence
Georg Karpenic, 246

ATTENTION ALL FIVE-PIN BOWLERS AND THOSE INTERESTED IN BOWLING

The General Meeting of Eaton's Mixed Five-Pin Bowling League will be held on Wednesday, August 17 in the Free Press Board Room No. 1. The policies for the coming year are set at these meetings, so all interested bowlers and potential bowlers should be present for the discussions. Teams will be announced in the divisions—so make certain your bowling entry is completed **before Monday, August 15**. We have openings for new teams so make up a team and enter our league. Entry forms may be obtained from:

E. J. Wall, Dept. 161, M.O.; Harold Brown, Dept. 119, M.O.;

E. J. Sigvaldason, Dept. 212, Store Drugs.

ALEXANDER AVENUE WAREHOUSE

M.O. Furniture

A miscellaneous surprise shower was held for Miss Jeanette Hill at the home of Miss Lynn Thomson. Joint hostesses were Yvette Dufault and Lynn. Many lovely gifts were presented and the evening was enjoyed by all.

Fellow employees of Jack Edwards gathered on the morning of June 1 to wish him good health and happiness on his retirement. Mr. B. Hill, in the absence of Mr. J. Meyers, Department Manager, presented him with a pair of binoculars on behalf of the staff. Numerous personal gifts were also given and it was a happy day for Jack.

On May 12 Mr. J. D. Wright presented a wedding gift of a pair of foam pillows to Miss Jeanette Hill on the occasion of her wedding to Mr. Garry "Butch" Glass. All our best wishes for future happiness.

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This is a belated welcome to Mr. Frank Swannel who has joined our staff, and to Mr. Mike Semotuk who is our new finisher.

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MITCHELL-COPP BUILDING

Sales Audit

Miss Christine Matheson celebrated her 35th year with the Company on Wednesday, July 6. She was the recipient of many gifts and good wishes from her friends throughout the Company. From the department she received a six-person setting of dinnerware.

Many of her co-workers and retired friends held a luncheon for her on Wednesday at the St. Regis Hotel.

With the exception of one month spent in the Printing Department all of Christine's 35 years have been spent with the Sales Audit.

Nine



26th Annual Picnic for the Caretaking Staff



"I'll bet we're the only department that can boast of 26 picnics in a row and yearly without interruption," said Mr. Giles, the genial Irishman who is Department Manager of the Caretaking Departments. We assume he is right and it is a record to be proud of. The first picnic was in Kildonan Park in 1934 and the 1960 affair had the same location. Picnics in the intervening years had been held at various beaches, St. Vital Agricultural Grounds and at Maple Grove, but it is agreed that the north field at Kildonan this year was equal to any place in convenience and outdoor beauty.

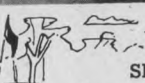
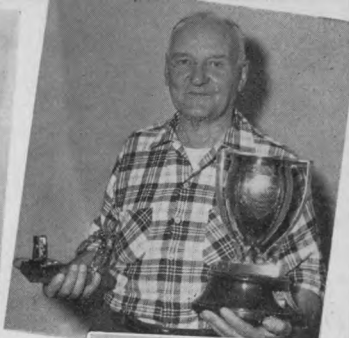
The day was Friday, July 1, and was ideal, sunny but not too warm. There were races for all ages and prizes for those who won. In the tots' races everyone won a prize. Approximately 600 people attended, including parents and children. Hot dogs and cold drinks were dispensed freely during the afternoon and a picnic supper was served at its close.

Great credit must be given to Messrs. Alex Patterson and Alex McDonald and their committee for the able way they organized all the details which make such a day possible. Praise is due also to Mrs. Pearl McCormick and Mrs. Vera Shortridge who were at the park early in the morning and stayed to clear up (with the willing help of many others) after the crowd had gone.

The pictures here tell part of the story. Naturally so many hungry people had to be fed, and on Thursday about 3:30 p.m. volunteers, men and women from the department's staff, made a bee of making sandwiches in the Employees' Cafeteria. They seemed to enjoy it, so we had their picture taken. You see the final results of that effort in the supper picture at the park.







SIX EATON MEN'S GOLF FIELD DAYS

Congratulations to President Les Croft and his committee on the booming success of all six field days.

Group "A"—Monday, May 30, a bright warm day. Doug Howat had the honour of being the first in the water hole for the new season. R. S. McCordick trophy, presented by Mr. K. A. Smith, Assistant Store Superintendent—Winner: J. McClure, Department 937.

Group "B"—Thursday, June 2, cool and rainy. G. M. Eaton trophy presented by Mr. G. M. Eaton. Winner: John McDonald, Department 229.

Group "C"—Monday, June 6, a beautiful day. R. Y. Eaton trophy presented by Mr. B. C. Sutherland, Personnel Manager. Winner: N. Locke, Department 253.

Group "D"—Thursday, June 9, cool and showery. H. M. Tucker trophy presented by Mr. D. R. Stewart, City Merchandise Office. Winner: T. Duncan, Department 215.

Group "E"—Monday, June 13, beautiful day, late thunderstorm. B. C. Scrivener trophy presented by Mr. G. W. Robinson, M.O. Divisional Office. Winner: C. Mitchell, Department 272.

Seniors and Grandfathers—Thursday, June 16, clear, sunny, 65 degrees. Seniors—W. G. B. Dailley trophy presented by Mr. K. A. Smith, Assistant Store Superintendent. Winner: Cece Kennedy, Department 61.

Grandfathers—B. C. Scrivener trophy also presented by Mr. Smith. Winner: Harry Debenham, Department 61.

Top, left to right: N. Locke, T. Duncan, J. McClure, C. Mitchell, H. Debenham.
Second row: Left, J. McDonald; right, C. Kennedy.





GOOD NAMES TO KNOW AND BUY

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| Haddon Plate <small>THE EATON'S METHOD</small> | optina <small>PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLY</small> | Glader <small>WASH & DRY</small> | Haddon Hall <small>HOUSEFURNISHINGS</small> | Birkdale <small>NEW & BEST WEAR</small> |
| BULLDOG <small>FOR ACCESSORIES</small> | Blaemore <small>DRESS FABRICS</small> | | Vanity Fair <small>DECORATIVE AND FURNISHINGS</small> | Lady Fair <small>HOUSEHOLD NEEDS</small> |
| Dorothy Vernon <small>WOMAN'S WARE - LINGERIE - FASHION</small> | Renown <small>WOMAN'S WARE - LINGERIE - FASHION</small> | Gatonia <small>FURNITURE OF VALUE</small> | Cottage Linette <small>DECORATIVE</small> | TECO <small>HOUSEHOLD NEEDS</small> |
| EATON'S <small>WOMAN'S WARE - LINGERIE - FASHION</small> | VIKING <small>APPLIANCES</small> | | Bonnie Brie <small>DECORATIVE AND WARE - WARE</small> | Commander <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> |
| SHERWOOD <small>WOMAN'S WARE - LINGERIE - FASHION</small> | | Berkley <small>WOMAN'S WARE - LINGERIE - FASHION</small> | TRULINE <small>DECORATIVE</small> | SOLAR <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> |
| Blue Star <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> | La Reine <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> | Baby Air <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> | bellefair <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> | GLENEATON <small>WOMAN'S WARE</small> |

Only at **EATON'S**

EATON BRANDED LINES

Approximately 85 staff members attended each of eight meetings held in the Assembly Hall between June 6 and June 22 and heard a talk on Branded Lines given by Mrs. R. Collins of the Staff Training Department. An impressive display of our 31 Brand Names was set up and time was allowed at the end of each meeting to examine the merchandise. Mrs. Collins talked about the scope and importance of Eaton Brands, their value as a selling tool, and the functions of the Research Bureau in keeping quality merchandise in stock at all times.

COMMUNICATION . . .

The word "communication" means different things to different people. Contacts, itself, is one form of communication. Newspapers, telephones, radio, television, to name a few, are other forms. Probably the most difficult way to communicate, and the way misunderstandings most often arise, is communication in face-to-face speaking. How often have you been quoted incorrectly? It happens to everyone.

To clear the lines of communication between staff member and staff member, management and staff, our Company and all of us, a program has been undertaken here in the Winnipeg branch. For two months groups have been meeting in a special room on the Third Floor of the Mail Order and discussing the many problems and misunderstandings that are bound to exist in so large an organization. These people are invited to attend two meetings one week apart. They come to their first meeting prepared with questions they are puzzled about. Sometimes these can be answered immediately, but often some checking must be done and they are answered at the second meeting. Members of the Personnel Department conduct these meetings and provide the answers.

We hear glowing reports of the reaction to this program and it is planned that it will be continued and will include all members of our staff eventually, possibly within the next year. This will be a continuous program and participants will be invited to attend again as soon as the whole staff has had its first round of meetings.

Your opportunity is coming up. Meantime you will be hearing reports from those who have already attended.

Department News from the Store

BASEMENT STORE

Foodateria-Groceries—By D. McFadyen

A shower was held in honour of Sandra Brygadyr on June 16. Sandra received a blanket, bath set, towels and tea towels.

Sandra was married on Saturday, June 25, to Edward Allen at Augustine United Church. Best wishes and lots of future happiness to both of you.

Mr. Alexander presented Sandra with an electric blanket, kitchen clock and drain board and tray set on behalf of the department.

Glad to see May Carlson back with us after her recent illness.

Meats—By W. Cuthbert

A fine group of grandparents are to be congratulated on additions to their families in recent weeks, namely Ethel Smith, Jean Everitt, Henry Kuhn and Bill Bevan. This youthful looking group are indeed a happy lot to say the least.

Glen Pfrimmer has left us after a number of years, but before he left he was presented with a wedding set to go along with his garage business. We all wish him well in his new venture. A small party was held for Glen at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuhn's home where Glen was presented with shirts. A social evening was held and everyone agreed at having a fine time and honouring our associate. Best of luck for the future, Glen, from all of us. Our thanks again to the Kuhns for opening their doors for such an occasion; also our thanks to Les Povey for his part in helping with the arrangements. A fine job all around.

We hear of a baseball team being entered in the Company league, headed by Bill Krylik. We wish them luck and hope to have more about this in our next scoop.

Nice to see Roy Rundle back in Winnipeg after an absence of four or five years, renewing friendships. Roy was with us nearly 25 years and now lives in Burnaby, B.C., and loves the country—but oh, that rain! Nice to see you, Roy, and do come again.

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MAIN FLOOR

Jewellery—By Vera Bowerman

Sorry we missed the last issue, but better late than never.

Sorry to report that Louise Meloney and Dorothy Lachance are still on the sick list. Hope to have you both back at work soon.

Garry Dorion has left us to take up duties in the Yard Goods Department. On June 4 he took that big step and got married, so as a parting gift and a wedding present, he was presented with a silver gallery tray. Best wishes, Garry.

Jean Sutherland, of our office staff, also took that big step and was married on July 1. The girls in the department presented her with an electric fry pan and a floral centre-piece, and at the same time she received from the department a set of stainless steel flatware. Best wishes, Jean.

Men's Furnishings—By E. Johnston

We are glad to hear Jack Rogers is out of hospital and now convalescing at home. Best wishes for a speedy recovery, Jack.

Lollie Roper had the bad luck to fracture her ankle. Hope to see you back soon, Lollie.

Beatrice Hastman has left to devote full time to her family. Never a chatterbox, Beatrice endeared herself to all in 228 by her willingness to be helpful.

The girls in the department held a party for Bea at which she was presented with a floor polisher. Her gift from the department was a lamp.

Eddie Allen said good-bye to his bachelor days when he was married to Sandra Brygadyr on June 25. Best wishes for a happy future, Eddie and Sandra.

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The men of the department held a stag in Eddie's honour at Mr. and Mrs. R. Gregory's home, which they kindly lent for the event. Eddie was presented with gift certificates at the affair, which all agreed was a success.

Mr. O. Cain presented Eddie with a smoking stand on behalf of the department.

Nice to see Bob Scarfield back with us for the summer.

Books and Stationery—By M. C.-Lawton

Department 208 held a dinner in honour of Peggy Holland on June 23. Covers were laid for 22 and a gift of costume jewellery was presented with all best wishes for the future. Peggy, with her husband and daughter, will take up residence in Toronto early in August.

Our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Florence on the loss of his mother, Mrs. Isabelle Baxter Florence on June 22 at the age of 88.

On the sick list: Una McKenzie and Mary Kival.

Happy holidaying to Jean Cormack who is off to Vancouver.

Men's Shoes—By Isabelle Dunsheath

'Tis an unhappy note we start on—reporting the illness of our Department Manager, Mr. Duncan Sproat. He is now out of hospital and convalescing at home. Take good care of yourself, Mr. Sproat, and we shall be delighted to see you back again.

The girls of Shoe Repair entertained at dinner in the St. Regis Hotel, honouring Joyce Reid, a bride of June 18. She was presented with sheets and pillows and from the department a lovely bedspread.

Mrs. Emily Mayer and Mrs. Joyce Brough were each recipients of a set of glasses from Department 1037 on the occasion of their leaving to take up housekeeping as full-time jobs. Our very best wishes go with you gals—call in and say hello once in a while.

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SECOND FLOOR

Piece Goods and Patterns—By G. Wilkinson

Heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter on the birth of their twins, Victoria Louise (Vicki) and Glen Robert on June 14.

Not to be outdone, Mr. and Mrs. W. Milne had a son, Douglas William, on the following day. Just one, Bill?

Best wishes to Garry Dorion who was married to Lorraine Savole on June 4. The department presented them with a gift of linen. Best of luck to you both.

We all wish Roger Winton the best of luck in his new position with the Lingerie Department. The department presented him with lawn chairs for all of his leisure time. What's that?

Patterns seems to be a brighter place these days. We are not too sure if it is the happy smile on her face or the diamond on her finger. Best wishes, Brenda.

Miss B. Hoover has been a recent visitor among us the past few weeks. Nice to see you again, Bea.

Somebody slipped up here. Guess it was Gladie Wilkinson herself (correspondent for Department 233). Gladie received a lovely diamond from Roy Chrispin (Lingerie Receiving Room) on April 2. They plan to be married in the near future. Congratulations from all of us in Departments 233-333.

Budget Fashions—By N. Jackson

The passing of Mrs. Agnes Hughes was felt with very real regret by all who had known her, both at work and through bowling. We wish to extend to her husband our sincere sympathy.

Beverly Lahoski is still on the sick list but we hope to see her back at work very soon.

Fifteen

Fancy Goods



Congratulations to Miss Lillian Irlam, our popular Signature, who celebrated her 35th anniversary on Thursday, June 23. On Thursday morning her desk was decorated, a corsage was pinned on her shoulder and Mr. Boston presented her with a watch on behalf of the department. That evening we all enjoyed a turkey dinner at the St. Regis in her honour where Mr. Tasker gave her a golf bag and a coffee table with the best wishes of her associates.

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THIRD FLOOR

China Department—By D. Scott

On Thursday, June 2, the department and stock-room staffs got together at the Concordia Club to honour the girls of our office staff, Phyllis Allen, Gladys Blagden, Jackie Barker, Peggy Buschau, who have joined the Third Floor office staff. Each girl was presented with a corsage and a Royal Doulton figure. We will miss you all and wish you good luck in your new department.

After a lovely dinner, Mr. Yelland gave a very interesting talk on his recent overseas trip.

Mr. Jeff Yelland was the recipient of a desk pen on the evening of June 14 when he left us to join the staff of the Housewares Department.

Congratulations to Mr. Don Wilson and Mr. Ken Whitney on their recent appointments.

Welcome to Mr. John Groves. Hope you enjoy your stay with us.

Glad to see Mrs. Fran Gagaluk back after her recent illness.

Our sympathy to Mrs. L. Gobeil in the recent loss of her sister.

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FOURTH FLOOR

Women's Lingerie

Congratulations and best wishes from Departments 209 and 609 to Miss Rita Gregorchuk of our Stock-room, who became engaged to Mr. Ken Fengler; also to Mr. Ray Chrispin of our Receiving room, who became engaged to Mrs. Gladys Wilkinson of Piece Goods.

Misses' Coats and Suits—By M. Bowen

We are very happy to welcome back to our department Mrs. Lillian Church and Mrs. Helen Kane, both of whom were absent several weeks because of illness.

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FIFTH FLOOR

Children's Shoes—By M. Hamulka

Best wishes to Brian Donnelly who was married on June 25 to Lorraine Reichardt at Precious Blood Church.

On June 11 the staff held a smorgasbord at the Valour Road Legion in their honour. At that time, on behalf of the staff Mr. McGregor presented them with a trillight lamp.

Juvenile Wear and Infants' Dresses

By G. Jenkins

On Saturday, June 25, wedding bells rang for Audrey Patrick and Ken Charles. We said good-bye to Audrey on Friday, June 17, and she was presented with a breakfast set from 210 Department and a gift of lingerie from the Baby Shop staff of which she was a member. We all wish you the best of luck and happiness, Audrey and Ken.

On June 29 Mrs. Marge Steinhauer left to take up housekeeping as a full-time job. She was presented with a gift from the department and we extend very best wishes to you, Marge.

Welcome to Bob Tucker, our new stock-room assistant; also Evelyn Pluta to the Baby Shop.

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SIXTH FLOOR

Correspondence and Telegraph Office

By M. Mahoney

We are very happy to have Marianne Patchell with us, but it will be only for the summer, as she is returning to university in the fall. We can't blame her for her enthusiasm though—she was just awarded two scholarships. Congratulations, Marianne.

It is nice to have Don back again after his short absence. He tells us that he was hit in the eye with a baseball while playing in one of our Company games. Are you sure that's what happened, Don?

Drapery Department

On June 30 we said good-bye to Miss Janice Brown who has left us to make her home in Montreal. On behalf of the department Mr. W. L. Ritchie presented Janice with a bulky kn't sweater and wished her every success in her new work.

Our sincere sympathy to Mrs. Chapman of our Curtain section on the recent loss of her mother.

Carpets—By Gladys McLean

Deepest sympathy to Margaret Robinson on the death of her uncle.

On Monday, June 6, the girls of the department entertained at the home of Ella McCosham to honour Mary Bedwell who will be married July 2 to Joe McComb, and to honour May Parker who has left the department.

Mary was presented with a pair of crystal bedroom lamps with best wishes for a very happy future. May received a beautiful necklace, pin and earring set from the girls and a train case from the department, with best wishes from all. Many thanks, Ella, for having us.

On Friday, June 24, Mary Bedwell was presented with a lovely bedroom rug on behalf of the girls and boys in the department. Mr. Westmacott made the presentation.

On Thursday, June 9, the boys held a stag at Mr. Jephson's "Dog House" to honour Pat Carey who is transferring to the Saskatoon Store, and Don MacDonald of Smith Manufacturing Company, who is marrying our own Sheila Wallace of the Superintendent's Office. Each of the honour guests was presented with a pen and pencil set with best wishes for a happy and successful future.

Congratulations to Clark Mitchell, a newcomer to our department, who cut quite a swath with Eaton's golfing fraternity when he won the "E" Class field day.

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SEVENTH FLOOR

Furniture and Bedding—By B. Adams

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. E. Jamieson on the death of her husband who passed away June 17.

Congratulations to Barbara Fyfe of our office staff who will be married on July 8 to Jim Chreptyk at St. John's Cathedral. Long years of happiness to you both.

A department shower was held at the home of Mrs. Phyllis Bain in honour of Barbara. Presentation of an armchair and a lovely corsage was made.



General Audit

Wednesday, June 22, was the 35th anniversary of Mr. T. M. Elliott, General Auditor, Western Division. As he was in Toronto on that day, the congratulations of his friends were limited to letters and telegrams.

Monday, June 27, on his return to the office, he was presented with a fathometer by the members of the General Audit staff in Winnipeg and the west. It is expected that there will be a decided improvement in the fishing results at the Lake of the Woods.

That evening a number of his friends and business acquaintances invaded his house in his absence and successfully surprised him on his return. During the course of the evening, on behalf of those present, Mr. H. A. Steele presented him with a radiant hotray to assist him in "keeping things hot."

Women's Garment Alterations—By E. Hart

Friends of Miss M. Jahнке entertained at a series of parties before her recent wedding.

One party was at the Ellice Inn where she was presented with some lovely flower pieces.

Two others at the homes of Mrs. M. Yamakami, 478 Semple Street, and Mrs. Agnes Kroeker, 256 Sydney Avenue, surprised the honoured guest with some bed sheets, a luncheon set and a table lamp.

The department gift, presented by Miss Waywood, Department Manager, was a trillite lamp. Individuals in the department presented various other gifts.

The happy couple, now Mr. and Mrs. A. Gaenswein, left for Banff to spend their honeymoon. Did you settle who is going to be boss, Minnie?

The department wishes to extend their sympathy to Mrs. Massey Yamakami on the death of her father in Vancouver recently.

City Advertising

On Wednesday, June 8, the male members of the City Advertising office honoured Charles DeGrout and Andy Thibeault with a double stag at the home of Russ Cooper. Those attending presented Charlie with a gift of a blanket and Andy with a set of beverage glasses.

Prior to each wedding date, the complete staff of City Advertising presented Charlie with an electric kettle (June 11) and Andy with a wooden salad service set (July 9). Sincere congratulations and best wishes to both couples.

Budget Plan—By Edna Tamplin

Our very best wishes to two of our girls who became brides this past month. On June 11 in Hope Lutheran Church, Leone Zelter became Mrs. Harold Wagner. On leaving, Leone was presented with an electric kettle from the staff by Mr. Shearer and a lovely nylon comforter from some of the girls. Leone was also the honour guest at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Jean Thompson.

Our other bride, Tina Kalma, became Mrs. Joe Vandenakker on June 18 in the Christian Reform Church. On behalf of the staff Mr. Shearer presented Tina with a floor lamp and a beautiful crystal vase from the cashiers and some of her other friends. Mrs. Myrtle Neudorf was the hostess at a kitchen shower in her honour.

We wish both of these young couples the very best for their future happiness.

Congratulations to Miss Marianne Fischer who received a beautiful diamond while on holiday. The lucky man is Mr. Herman Groner.

We were sorry to say good-bye to two of our stenographers who left for other positions, Miss Eileen Kotelo and Miss Chris Aitken. Both girls were presented with electric coffee makers in anticipation of setting up housekeeping in the near future. Best of luck to you, girls, and don't forget to drop in and see us some time.

On June 28 Mrs. Olive Hughes was the honour guest at a dinner at the Shanghai as she leaves to take up residence in Portage la Prairie. Olive was the recipient of a lovely lamp and a china floral ornament from the staff and her many friends. Drop us a line now and then and let us know how you are getting along.

Best wishes for the future were extended to Mr. Roberts at a dinner held in his honour at the Shanghai by the cashiers and interviewers, as he leaves us to take up a position in the D.A. and C.A. Office. On behalf of those present Edna Tamplin presented Mr. Roberts with a desk set and a water cooler.

On the morning of June 15 a surprise breakfast was held in honour of Mr. W. MacEwing at the St. Regis Hotel. On behalf of those present Mr. Shearer presented the honour guest with a brown suede sports jacket and a lovely plaid shirt. We hope you are enjoying your new position in the Contract Sales Office. Mr. MacEwing's gift from the members of the office staff was an electric drill.

A speedy recovery to Mrs. Hilda Watters and Mrs. Marion Sigvaldson who are on our sick list. We do hope you will soon be well enough to come back to work. Sorry to report Miss Verla Busch is still away on sick leave. Glad to see Lil Apland, Joan Hadath and Myrtle Neudorf back after a bout of sickness.

We wish to welcome Mr. Tom McGratton to the Budget Office. We hope you enjoy your stay here as much as you did the D.A.

Wages Office—By Rhoda Cummings

A warm welcome to the newest members of our staff: Ron Baker, Lorraine Clayton, Linda Wagner and Kay Francis. Also welcome back to Dot Scott, Lillian Duggan and Mollie Schultz.

June being the month of brides, the Wages Office had its "fair" share. Maisie Seymour left on June 21 to become Mrs. Balduur Johnson. A shower was held in Maisie's honour at the home of Nan Reid, Garfield Street, where a presentation of electric kettle, toaster and various kitchen utensils was made. Maisie's gift on leaving the department was a white bathroom hamper.

Gail Thorne left on June 29 to become Mrs. Bill Farquhar and Celine Goulet left the following day to wed Real Prefontaine. A joint shower for Gail and Celine was held at the home of Mrs. Campbell, Kingston Crescent, on June 13. Each girl received an electric kettle, electric fry pan and gifts of linen. On leaving the office, Gail was presented with a black and gold bathroom hamper and Celine a steam iron. Very best wishes, girls, for your future happiness.

June 30 also saw us bidding farewell to Lynne Bowman and Alice Hastings who left to take up housekeeping as a full-time job. Lots of luck, girls, for the future.

Nice to have Marion Smith pay us a visit on her way to Toronto.

General Office—By N. Hawkhead

We regret the sudden passing of Mr. Fred Butland's mother and the passing of Miss Gwen Jones' father. Our deepest sympathy to both families.

After nearly 34 years of hard work our Cora Murray decided to call it a day on the 30th of June. A barbecue party was held on June 23 at her home out in Charleswood by a few of her friends in the General Office. However, Friday was her big day, receiving many gifts and congratulations from her many friends. A gift of lawn furniture from the General Office, a beautiful mirror from Transport and Traffic and numerous other gifts from her many well-wishers.

Nice to see Jim Belden and Ken Von Platen back for the summer. Hope you enjoy your brief stay with us.

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NINTH FLOOR

Construction Office—By G. Thomas

Congratulations to Gordon Neusitzer and his wife on the birth of a son, Donald Gordon. Donald was born June 23 and weighed 7 lb. 10 oz.

IN THE MAIL BAG

SECOND FLOOR

Shipping Division—By W. Polanski

Congratulations to Frieda Peters who received a lovely diamond from Ron Brereton; also to June Claeys who became engaged to Van Wynaberge.

Best wishes to Roy Lowe who was married June 18 to Amy Mansfield.

Best wishes to Anne Wiebe who was married June 10 to Mr. David Kydd. The girls in the Billing Office held a luncheon in Anne's honour and presented her with a blanket. On leaving, Anne also received a hamper from the department fund.

Congratulations to Frank Crosley on the birth of a daughter on June 17.

We are sorry to say Bessie Cogle is away ill in the hospital.

Glad to see Rose Peabody and Helen Stebnicki back to work after being away sick.

We wish Douglas Freeman, who left us on June 22, all the best in his new adventure. Also to Diane Weitman who left on June 23 and was presented with a jewel box from department friends.

We said good-bye to Lynne Rudishyn on being transferred to the Warehouse. Good luck, Lynne.

Winnipeg Buying Office—By V. E. Chambers

On the occasion of Mr. Francis' 40th anniversary with the Company, a celebration was held on Friday evening, June 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith. An enjoyable evening was spent by all in singing dancing and playing games.

During the evening Mr. Francis was presented with a folding lawn chair.

Departments 173, 173A, 78—By A. Christensen

Congratulations to Mr. Scott Marshall on the occasion of his 25th anniversary with the Company on June 17. The day began for him with a breakfast at the St. Regis attended by many of his business associates. Later, back in the Salesroom, he was faced with a desk laden with gifts, roses and congratulations. He spent a busy day shaking hands with friends and receiving their good wishes.

Thought this item, taken from a magazine and brought in by one of our girls, might be of interest. Quote: "The mail order folks sure have one confused customer in the Lampman, Sask., area where a letter was recently observed going through the post office addressed 'The T. Eaton Co. Ltd., Goodness Knows What Dept.? Winnipeg, Man.'"

Anne Ryzebol's baby daughter arrived in June. Congratulations, Anne and Peter, and welcome, baby girl.

We said good-bye to Nell Hillaby of the Telephone Order Board on June 10. Nell and her husband are leaving Winnipeg to make their home in Portage la Prairie. A gift to Nell was a bracelet and earrings with their very best wishes from the girls.

Vicki Sadowy, also from the Telephones, left in June to devote full time to housekeeping. A gift to Vicki was a lovely shawl. Hope you will keep in touch with us.

We were all very sorry to hear of the sudden passing of Mary Sadleir's father on June 19. Mr. Harold Sadleir was well known in the Mail Order and throughout the Company and will be greatly missed. Our sincere sympathy goes to his wife and family in their sad bereavement.

On the evening of June 23 at the home of Kerry Falk, a number of Salesroom girls gathered for a shower honouring Mrs. Betty Becker. Tastefully wrapped gifts were presented to Betty. The girls enjoyed a happy evening of food and conversation.

Have you visited the latest Mail Order attraction — the outdoor display of summer equipment? Shown are boats, motors, tents, outdoor furniture, etc. Now we know where Stewart McKay got that lovely tan!

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THIRD FLOOR

Jewellery and Watch Repair—By E. Chatfield

Congratulations to Mr. Harvey on his recent appointment as Assistant Manager of the Watch and Jewellery Repair.

Our best wishes to Lorraine Valcourt who received a lovely diamond. The lucky fellow is John De Leeuw.

We are happy to announce the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weibe, born June 9.

Best wishes to June Blatta who left on June 24 to become the bride of Bruce Torrance and take up residence in Sudbury.

June was presented by Mr. Harvey with a coffee maker from the department. Also a dinner was held in her honour at the Ivanhoe on June 20 where she was the recipient of a deep fryer from the girls in the department.

Glad to welcome back Jim Makay after an operation.

We wish Mrs. Carl Thorlakson a speedy recovery from her recent operation.

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FIFTH FLOOR

Laces, Blouses, Accessories, Millinery

By B. Murray

Deepest sympathy is extended to Muriel Fraser on the death of her sister who passed away May 23 in Edmonton.

Also to Helen Winters on the death of her mother.

We wish Mr. and Mrs. P. Thompson a happy holiday in California.

Paints

Congratulations to Mr. Wilf Ludman who was married June 4 to Margaret Dreger of Dominion City. Wilf was presented with a plate glass mirror from the department. Our best wishes to you and your bride, Wilf. We understand you had a pleasant trip east as far as Sault Ste Marie.

The sudden passing of Mrs. Margaret MacRae on Sunday, June 5, came as a shock to her many friends at Eaton's. To her husband and daughter our sincere and heartfelt sympathy.

Mr. Walter Hancock returned to work on June 27 after undergoing an operation. Best of health in the future, Wallie.

We welcome to Department 74 Miss Lillian Bridges from Department 60.

SIXTH FLOOR

Draperies—By R. Hodgson

To two former members of our staff baby daughters were born recently. To Winnie Groombridge, Tracy Lynne, and to Mary Fergus, Gail Anne. Congratulations to the proud parents.

Our condolences to Tommy Cormie on the loss of his mother.

Dress Goods—By Winnie Crowston

On Friday, May 6, Department 33 members and friends held a surprise shower at the home of Mrs. Lena Miluch in honour of Miss Janet Kulbaba. A presentation of a pair of Haddon Hall blankets was made to the honour guest. A highlight of the evening was the viewing of pictures taken in Japan last year by Mr. Bill Hogg.

Janet left work on June 8 and Mr. Hogg made a presentation of a lovely laundry hamper from the staff. Best wishes, Janet and Bob.

When Verna Malenko left us on May 12 to be married to Mr. Norman Harrison she was the recipient of a lovely pair of blankets from her fellow workers.

We are pleased to have Ethel-Mae Kerr back to work after her recent accident.

Correspondence—By L. Britton

Monique Nolette was the recipient of a mixer and other gifts when she left on June 15 to make her home in Toronto. We all wish her the best of luck.

Congratulations to Carla Winberg on her engagement to Garry Byington.

Mrs. Hazel Buck left us to devote full time to her home-keeping. As a parting gift she was presented with fishing tackle and reel. Every good wish for the future, Hazel.

We welcome Verna Boyko, Iona Wachal and Doreen Owen to our staff.

Complaints—By J. Baynes

We were glad to see our two invalids, Esther O'Reilly and Frank Artiss, back at work after their recent illnesses.

A warm welcome is extended to Roberta Thompson, a newcomer to Department 118. We hope you enjoy your stay with us, Roberta.

Beverley Lutz became Mrs. Peter Robitaille at Holy Cross Church on Saturday, June 11. On leaving, Bev was the recipient of a number of lovely gifts both from the department and her many friends. We all wish you both lots of happiness.

The home of Muriel Brown was the scene of a combined shower by Muriel and Mrs. C. Soplnyuk in honour of Beverley Lutz, at which she received many beautiful gifts.

Household Linens—By F. Rogers

Good news from Ivy Stevens who is convalescing from an operation. Ivy is feeling much better and we hope she will be back with us soon.

Oliver Westman, better known as "Olie" or "the Dazzler," celebrated his 35th anniversary with the Company on June 24. Olie has spent most of his years of service with the Household Linens, and was welcomed at his desk on the 24th with a circle of friends amid an array of gifts. On behalf of the department, Mr. W. J. Hogg presented Olie with a camera and attachments and thanked him for his conscientious years of service.

Olie, in his younger days, was a baseball and hockey player of star rating, and is still an ardent supporter of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers and other local teams. Olie is an active five-pin bowler and won the honour a few years ago of holding the men's high average in the Winnipeg Five-Pin Bowling Association. His latest sports interest is the honourable game of golf and in this he is showing his usual prowess. Olie's many friends dropped around on his anniversary to

wish him well and many more successful, happy years in his work and enjoying his sporting hobbies.

On June 30 Mr. James Burns, of Household Linens, retired after 37 years of service with the Company. On the morning of his retirement, Mr. W. J. Hogg presented a mirror on behalf of the department and expressed sincere appreciation of the department and Company for Jim's wonderful record of a job well done, always with a ready smile. The continuous stream of visitors who came to shake his hand and wish him well throughout the day was evidence of his popularity in the Mail Order.

On June 24 W36 held a joint party at Chan's in honour of Olie and Jim. Mr. T. D. Carson, Assistant, was chairman, and Mr. Hogg and Mr. T. H. Hancock, retired Department Manager, spoke of the esteem and affection in which the guests of honour had been held throughout the years and wished them good health and happiness in the future. The large number of retired and extra-help staff members who attended the dinner was a special tribute to the honoured guests.

Mr. Burns, in his reply to the speakers, read a poem he had composed, in which he described the joys and woes of the staff working in 36.

Following the dinner Mr. and Mrs. Burns' three daughters held an "at home" for the staff and everyone enjoyed a garden party on Mr. Burns' lawn.

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SEVENTH FLOOR

Girls' Clothing—By Vera Timmins

On June 10 Betty McKay said good-bye to Department 11. She was presented with an overnight bag from the department. Good luck to you, Betty, in your new venture.

We are glad to welcome into our department Mary Kurdydyk who was formerly with Department 46. Happy to have you, Mary—hope you enjoy working with us.

Women's, Misses' and Junior Dresses

By M. J. Neil

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Graham Bloomer and family in their recent bereavement.

We wish Bill Maskell the best of luck in his coming golf endeavours. Keep up the good work, Bill, we want to see that cup this year.

Our deepest sympathy to Miss Alice Kirkby whose father passed away on Friday, June 24.

Women's Blouses and Skirts—By A. Bender

We were very sorry to say good-bye to Mary Kurdydyk who left us to take up new office duties in Department 11. We will all miss her very much but wish her every success in her new job.

On Friday, June 3, Mr. Smithson made a presentation of a transistor radio and a record album to Mary on behalf of the staff and she received numerous personal gifts from her many friends.

Budget Plan—By M. R. McLean

Congratulations to Judy Karman on her marriage to Charles De Groot, June 11.

Bernice (Lear) Kucyk retired after 12 years with us for a permanent position of housewife. Elizabeth Kulbaba and Jerry McDougal also changed their employment and we wish them luck.

Ruth Paul, Myrt Pearson and Edna Johnson have taken a short trip to the D.A. Office in the Store, in order to increase their knowledge of the new system coming up. Their main function on returning to our office will be to impart their knowledge to the rest of the Budgeteers. We hope our learning capacity is up to par.

We have several new members on our staff and we welcome them.

Copying—By M. Wilson

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Reg Stevenson on the arrival of their baby daughter, Karen Ellen, born June 13.

Cathy Polichuk and Eleanor Winning left us recently to take up other positions. They received many lovely gifts from friends in the department. We wish them every success in their new endeavours.

We were shocked and saddened by the news of Chrissie Keicher's accident in which she and her husband were seriously injured while on holiday in Ohio. Our sincere wish is for a complete and speedy recovery to health.

Joyce Mitchell was honoured June 10 when she received a lovely bedspread and many other useful gifts from the girls in 116 as she left to be married.

Her marriage to Mr. Darrel Dupuis took place on June 17 at St. Ignatius Church. We wish them every happiness.

Sharon Gill came in last week with a sparkler on that special finger—the lucky fellow is Allan Reid. Congratulations.

We were glad to see Jean O'Riley and Joyce Scherer back after their recent illnesses.

Charlotte Moorhouse left us on June 22 to take up full-time housekeeping.

Our deepest sympathies go out to Helen Desrochers in the recent loss of her father.

Infants' Goods—By I. Joss

On June 15 Miss Ellen Gillespie left to be married to Dick McKenzie on June 18 at Selkirk. Mr. W. Young presented her with a mirror on behalf of the department. Ellen also received many lovely gifts from friends. Best wishes to Ellen and Dick for a happy and prosperous married life.

Congratulations to Miss Margaret Reske who received a lovely diamond on June 4.

We are a little late in congratulating Miss Isobel Joss on her engagement to Mr. Jack Donaldson on April 15. (S. Nagam)

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EIGHTH FLOOR

Boys' Clothing—By A. Johnston

On June 28 our head office girl, Miss Alberta "Bertie" Carruthers, reached her 45th anniversary with the Company. A dinner was held in her honour at Moore's Restaurant on Thursday, June 23, during which Mr. A. Parker, on behalf of the department, presented Miss Carruthers with a transistor radio.

Miss Carruthers left the following evening for an extended vacation at the Pacific coast.

Catalogue Distribution—By M. Taylor

Our best wishes to Hazel Fanshaw and Darlene Colquhoun who left June 24 to be married.

From all reports Vi Marshall had a wonderful holiday overseas.

Our deepest sympathy to Mary Sadlier (Salesroom) and family in the loss of their father.

Exchanges—By M. Davies

Congratulations to Eleanor Young who celebrated her 35th anniversary with the Company on July 6.

To mark the occasion Eleanor was presented with many lovely gifts including a silver entree dish and crystal necklace and earring set presented by Mr. Graham, Department Manager, on behalf of the management and staff.

In the evening Eleanor was entertained at a luncheon at Moore's and presented with a wallet.

NINTH FLOOR

Notions and Fancy Goods—By E. Moore

On June 16 Audrey Kort came into the Department to find her table decorated with flowers and streamers. Mr. R. Robertson made the presentation of a lovely table lamp from the department. The girls gave her a matching lamp and china. Audrey was married to Werner Frers at McDermott Avenue Baptist Church on June 17.

Martin Penner was married to Terry Simmel at St. Ignatius Church on June 25. Mr. R. Robertson made the presentation of a table lamp from the department. Martin received steak knives, electric clock and smoking stand from his friends. Best wishes to Audrey and Werner, Martin and Terry for happy and prosperous married lives.

Margaret Elder arrived back recently from Eaton's chartered trip to London. Margaret visited with relatives in Scotland and had many tours in London and throughout Britain. She has taken some lovely pictures and brought back many happy memories of the Old Country.

Sorry to report Edna Hickling is on the sick list. Here's for a speedy recovery, Edna.

Hosiery, Gloves, Umbrellas—By J. Duncan

May 31 was a big day for Sheila McNeilly, for not only was it her birthday, but she received a lovely diamond from Harvey Leclerc. Congratulations and best wishes to you both.

We offer our sincere sympathy to Ruth Zickerman on the recent death of her father.

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STORE SERVICES

Delivery—By Kathleen Cross

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. A. Vanderploeg on the arrival of Kenneth Peter, weighing in at 8 lb. 6 1/2 oz., at St. Boniface Hospital on Saturday, June 25, 1960.

On May 21 Mr. Roy Swann and his family left for sunny California (Los Angeles). His parting gift from the department was luggage. Good luck and best wishes to you in your new surroundings.

On May 28 Mr. I. Solvason and family left for California to make their home. Mr. Solvason also received luggage as his parting gift. Good luck and better health to you, Solly, in your change of climate.

Our sincere sympathy to Mr. C. Cane on the loss of his mother who passed away June 17. The Drivers' Social Club held their annual picnic on June 26 at Campbell's Grove, when approximately 150 enjoyed the fun of the day. Races were the main event, climaxing with a tug-of-war and baseball game. The weatherman gave us a fine day which added greatly to the pleasure, and all reports say that a "good time was enjoyed by all."

Elevators—By E. Ratzlaff

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Pelitier on the birth of their baby boy, Richard Louis, at Misericordia Hospital on June 13. He weighed 8 lb. 6 oz. at birth.

We are glad to hear Carol Mikita likes her job so well in Department 300A. On her last day with us, Carol was presented with a lovely purse from the department.

We are glad to report Ed Smith back to work after being away with the flu.

It is good to know Stan Carr's son, Don, is doing so well after his accident.

Garage News—By Aldous Brow

Our congratulations to Andy Burnett of the Carpark, who celebrated his 25th anniversary with the Company on June 3.

May we extend our deepest sympathy to Gordon Reid and members of his family in their recent bereavement.

A speedy recovery to Harold Bishop who is now home from the hospital and convalescing.

Congratulations to Wayne Wilson of the Carpark staff who recently announced his engagement to Anita Dickson.

May we also extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. I. Collins on the arrival of their chosen son, Allan Bruce, on June 17.

Suggestion Winners

Mr. H. J. Laninga,
Department 150 (as
chairman of a
committee)\$15.00

Mrs. E. Shipman,
Department 1100K . . . 5.00

Mrs. L. Arndt,
Department 1100L . . . 5.00

Mr. S. Lentle,
Department 122A 10.00

Mrs. J. Jones,
Department 1113 10.00

Mrs. H. Zink,
Department 77 15.00

Mrs. A. Savage,
Department 217 10.00

Miss O. Eldred,
Department 116D
(two awards) 25.00

Mr. A. E. Monk,
Department 421 6.00

Mr. R. N. Brown,
Department 1100 10.00



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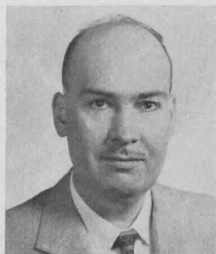
Mr. A. E. Monk



Mrs. L. Arndt



Mrs. E. Shipman



Mr. R. N. Brown

RECENT APPOINTMENTS

IN WINNIPEG



Mr. S. P. Belsher

Department W252—
China and Glass Ware:
MR. D. G. WILSON,
Department Manager;
MR. K. A. WHITNEY,
Assistant.

Department W254—
Kitchen Ware, Wooden
Ware and Gift Ware:
MR. J. H. YELLAND,
Department Manager.

Department W182—Contacts:
MISS RUTH SPURWAY,
Assistant.

MR. S. P. BELSHER,
Department W254, trans-
ferred to Toronto.

WESTERN BRANCHES

Brandon Store

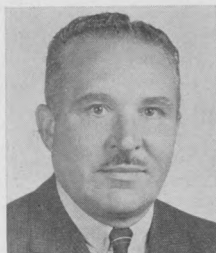
Department B260—Radios, TV, Pianos, Organs, Musical Instru-
ments, Record Players, Washers, Ironers, Vacuums, Polishers,
Electric Refrigerators, Electric Stoves, Rangettes and Carpet
Sweepers:
MR. G. E. GUSDAL, Assistant.

Regina Store

Department R284—Meats, Fish and Poultry:
MR. A. POSYNIK, Department Manager (in addition to his
present duties in Departments R379 and R580);
MR. J. SCHMALENBERG, Assistant.

ORDER OFFICES

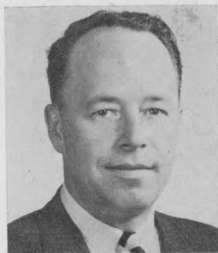
Fort Churchill, Manitoba—MRS. P. BELZILE, Clerk in Charge.
Revelstoke, B.C.—MRS. L. M. HALLAM, Clerk in Charge.
Fort St. John, B.C.—MRS. D. BJERKE, Clerk in Charge.
Prince Rupert, B.C.—MRS. M. CYR, Clerk in Charge (pro tem).



Mr. J. H. Yelland



Miss Ruth Spurway



Mr. K. A. Whitney



Mr. D. G. Wilson

LONG-SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

Mr. S. C. Florence, Manager,
Books and Stationery.....July 29

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS

Mr. James G. Young, Delivery.....July 21
Twenty-Two

Miss Kathleen Fitzgerald,
M.O. CorrespondenceJuly 27

Mr. Garnet Griffith, Department
Manager, Time Office.....August 4

Miss Hannah McConachy,
Employees' Lunch Room.....August 4

Contacts, July, 1960

In Memoriam



Mrs. Hughes

MRS. AGNES SMITH HUGHES

Mrs. Agnes Hughes, of the Self Serve Dresses, Second Floor, died on Tuesday, June 14, after a long illness. Agnes was well known and will be greatly missed by her many friends and fellow-workers. She was a member of the bowling league, and celebrated her quarter-century with the Company in August, 1952. She is survived by her husband and three brothers to whom the heartfelt sympathy of her Eaton friends is extended.

MRS. MARGARET ELVA MacRAE

The death of Mrs. MacRae on Sunday, June 26, is deeply felt by her associates. She had worked for the Company for 17 years, in recent years in the M.O. Paints. Mrs. MacRae is survived by her husband and daughter and a brother and sister. We extend our sincere sympathy to them at this sad time.



Mrs. MacRae

MISS LYDIA SUSAN AFFLECK

Miss Lydia S. Affleck, a retired member of our staff, died on Monday, June 6. She had worked in our Store Millinery Department for 26 years previous to her retirement in 1939. She is survived by her sister Grace, also a retired employee, to whom we extend our sympathy.

MR. LEONARD CHARLES READER

Mr. Reader died on Tuesday, June 7. He was a retired employee of the Store Drapery Department where he had worked for 33 years. He is survived by his daughter and one sister to whom we extend our sympathy in their sad loss.

MR. JAMES SUTHERLAND MILLER

Mr. James Miller died on Saturday, June 4. He had been employed for eight years by the Meat Department before his retirement in January, 1950. He is survived by his wife to whom we send condolences at this sad time.

MISS EVA KERR

Miss Kerr died on Tuesday, May 31. She was a retired member of our staff, having worked for 25 years in the Shirt Factory before retiring eight years ago. Miss Kerr is survived by a brother in Regina and to him we offer our sympathy.

MR. KEITH E. MINTY

Mr. Minty, who had worked for many years for the Supply Department before his retirement in 1953, died on Sunday, June 5. He is survived by his wife, two sons and one daughter, eight grandchildren and his sister. We extend to all these our sincere sympathy.

MR. JAMES I. BLOOMER

The death of Mr. James Bloomer on Saturday, June 4, is regretfully reported. Before his retirement in 1943 he had been electrical engineer for the Company for 37 years. He has been a Winnipeg resident for 63 years and was a member of Assiniboine Masonic Lodge and, at various times, of different golf, curling and lawn bowling clubs. Surviving are his wife, a son, three daughters and six grandchildren to whom we offer our sincere sympathy.

MR. ARTHUR HAMILTON ROBINSON

Mr. Robinson died on Wednesday, June 15. He started with Eaton's in 1910 and retired from the position of Manager in the M.O. Operating in 1936. He was a member of Beaver Masonic Lodge and the Royal Arch Masons. Mr. Robinson is survived by his wife and two sons and seven grandchildren. We extend our sincere sympathy to them in their sad loss.

MR. HAROLD WILLIAM SADLEIR

Mr. Sadleir, who retired in 1953 after 40 years of service, died on Sunday, June 19. He had been the Manager of the M.O. Contract Department. Mr. Sadleir is survived by four daughters and seven grandchildren, also his sister, and to these we extend our sympathy in their sad loss.

MRS. ELLEN CANE

Mrs. Cane died on Thursday, June 16. She retired from our Grill Room staff in 1950 after 25 years of service. Mrs. Cane is survived by four sons and eight grandchildren. Two of her sons are employed here. We offer our sincere sympathy to her surviving relatives and to her friends.

Sincere Sympathy to These Members of the Staff Who Have Recently Been Bereaved

In the Loss of a Mother

Mrs. Norma Burgess.....Grill Room
Mrs. S. Slym.....Basement Fruits, etc.
Mr. T. Cormie.....M.O. Draperies
Mr. V. Young.....Staff Training
Mr. A. Cane.....Boys' Clothing
Mr. C. Cane.....Delivery
Mr. Fred Butland.....General Office
Mrs. M. Chapman.....Draperies
Mr. S. C. Florence.....Stationery
Mr. K. M. Chalmers.....Plumbing, etc.
Mr. W. E. Chalmers.....Stock Audit

In the Loss of a Father

Mr. G. Reid.....Garage
Mrs. Gene Horwood.....Seeds and Plants
Mrs. Violet Turenne.....5th Floor Cafeteria
Miss R. Lord.....Farm Implements
Mr. J. Bydak.....Basement Furniture
Miss S. Lesyk.....3rd Floor Coffee Bar
Miss Mary Sadleir.....M.O. Salesroom
Miss G. Jones.....General Office
Mrs. A. Tabbernor.....Markers

Miss Alice Kirkby.....M.O. Women's Dresses
Miss R. Zickerman.....M.O. Hosiery
Miss H. Desrochers.....M.O. Copying

In the Loss of a Sister

Mrs. S. Wirvin.....Grill Room
Mrs. L. Gobeil.....China and Glassware
Mr. Russell Young.....Manufacturing Kitchen

In the Loss of a Brother

Mr. R. Thompson.....Doormen
Mrs. Iris Zimmer.....Notions
Miss H. Lemoine.....Women's Garment Alterations

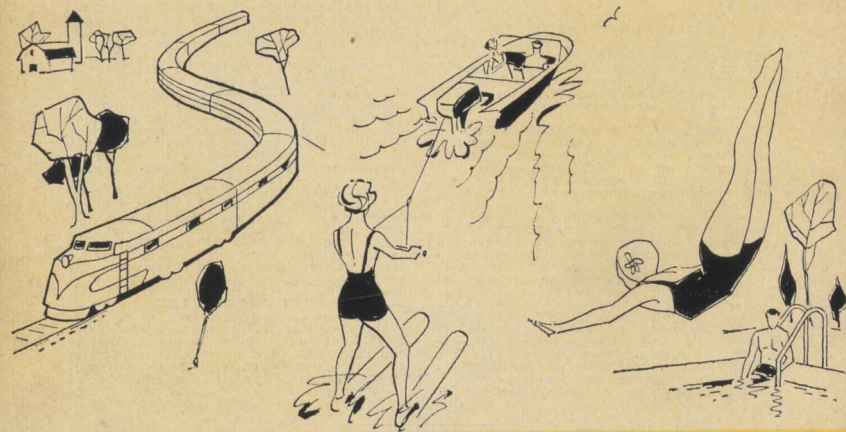
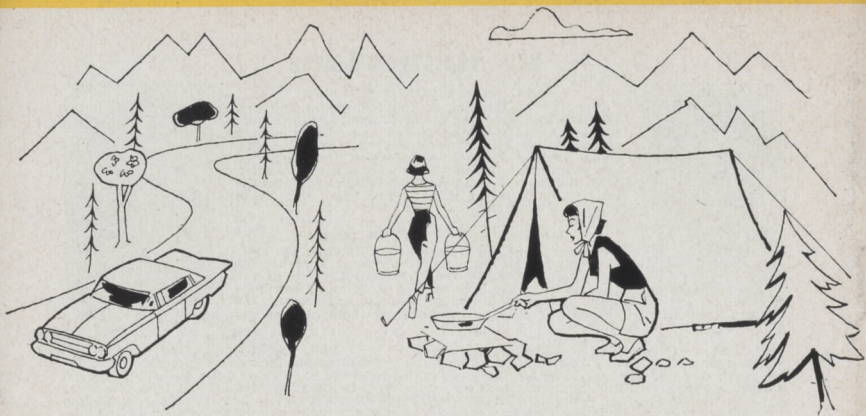
Mr. John Milne.....Farm Implements

In the Loss of a Daughter

Mrs. Alice Rae.....M.O. Sporting Goods

In the Loss of Her Husband

Mrs. E. Jamieson.....Furniture
Mrs. Bernice Werner.....M.O. Women's Underwear



E.E.C.F.

NEWS

JULY 1960

*A Half-Yearly Report for
the Information of*

**WINNIPEG EATON EMPLOYEES'
CHARITABLE FUND SUBSCRIBERS**

Your Fund—And The Way It Has Been Organized to Help You Help the Many Causes It Serves

Many years ago, when our residential streets were "earth" and sidewalks wooden, children and older folk just had to step out on the street for fun and games, for horse traffic was light in the evenings and motor cars practically non-existent.

Most organizations and charitable causes were financed mainly by substantial donations by the richer citizens (who weren't taxed so heavily then) and by a yearly or occasional tag day. But bitter weather or a rainy day could kill a tag day so easily! Away back then, some thoughtful minds among our staff organized the Eaton Employees' Charitable Fund—and the Company willingly accepted the work, then as now, of making the collections from wages and handling the account.

Now city life is so different; now we have to provide more and safer places for our youngsters'—and our own—recreation and welfare. Now, too, first as the Federated Budget and then as the Community Chest, most of the charitable giving is organized to save loss of time and to garner the most of the donated funds for use with least overhead. Now other companies have turned to Eaton's for advice and guidance in arranging similar methods of fund raising. We are glad and proud that Eaton's staff showed the way!

Again we say, as in the May edition of *Contacts*: "Thanks, Eatonians, for so willingly co-operating in your Fund Committee's efforts to keep this Eaton Employees' Charitable Fund in top condition for doing good on your behalf!"

Your Charitable Fund Gifts This Season

January to June inclusive, 1960

(in Addition to the E.E.C.F. Community Chest Donation of \$55,000 Given Last Fall for This Year's Operations)

WORLD REFUGEE "CLEAR THE CAMPS" (Manitoba Division), \$2,000

Y.M.C.A. FIVE-COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, \$5,000

(First of three annual payments pledged)

See Page 4 for information on these.

THE MANITOBA HEART FOUNDATION, \$2,500

This is a repeat of the donation of last year to help the Heart Foundation (Manitoba Branch) achieve its objective of \$95,000. The Manitoba Foundation is carrying on research and wide-spread activities to deal with and guard against the inroads of this "No. 1 Killer" among today's diseases; also is in association with the National Heart Foundation of Canada that includes the Provinces all across our country.

"The Pulse," Heart Foundation magazine, points out that while asking a considerable sum from Canadians to provide research equipment, drugs, specialist and

research doctors' services, a fund of less than a million is small compared to these yearly losses that heart disease causes—in addition to the many deaths:

Doctors' bills (direct or through Medical plans) 200 million dollars; income losses through heart illnesses, over 80 million dollars. Much is being done, mainly through the help of such donations as E.E.C.F., and any employee interested in getting informative literature may obtain it through the Manitoba Heart Foundation direct or through the Charitable Fund office.

CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY (Manitoba Division), \$4,800

(First Portion of 1960 Donation of \$8,800)

Your Fund increased its donation for this year by \$400—the Red Cross appeal being for an extra five per cent across Canada due to heavy calls in the past operating year and the upward cost of many supplies and services in its wide-spread work in disasters (emergencies and day-by-day humanitarian work). We all know that, come the time, the Red Cross is on the spot with help of all kinds. What we don't always realize is the tremendous job being done year in and year out to have medical equipment, rescue and salvage teams, comfort and health supplies ready, and an organization all tuned up and able to (as one southern general said in discussing good leadership) "Git there fustest with the mostest!"

THE MARCH OF DIMES, \$2,700

Beginning many years ago, this famous "March" has been undoubtedly one of the most successful campaigns in public health and medical history. Based on the late President Roosevelt's discovery and promotion of the benefits of therapeutic treatment at Warm Springs, also on the untiring and famous example of Nurse (Sister) Kenny in the development of special exercising of crippled limbs, the March of Dimes created tremendous interest and over the years struggled with polio and its paralyzing results.

Then, after many years' research and progress, came the amazing creation by

Dr. Salk of the vaccine which has proved to be a successful preventive treatment. Today the March of Dimes (conducted by The Society for Crippled Children and Adults) uses funds such as your donation to help not only those affected by poliomyelitis, but those crippled from birth, by cerebral palsy, by arthritis and multiple-sclerosis (two terribly potent crippling causes), or by accidental causes. Thus out of the success of the polio battle (though, of course, there are still always cases and dangers of epidemics), has come help for others afflicted very similarly. Let's help keep up the good work.

THE CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY (Manitoba Division), \$5,000

From Mr. C. A. Campbell, president of the Manitoba Division of this National Society, comes this letter of thanks:

"With sincere gratitude I acknowledge the generous contribution in support of our 1960 campaign. We are deeply indebted for the continued sympathetic support Eatonians have given to our program of cancer control."

In another letter Mr. Campbell says: "Our aims are to find cancer's cause and cure, and with this in view we have three main functions—Research, for this only

can provide us with the means of control or cure of the cancer diseases; Education—year-round work to inform the public and to encourage them to seek early diagnosis and proper treatment; Welfare—provision of free cancer dressings and other facilities to unfortunate sufferers and those who care for them." (And may we add we have heard numerous people bless the Society for their dressings and other helps.)

Cancer literature and advice is available through your Charitable Fund office or direct from the Society.

FRESH AIR CAMPS . . .

Renewing your Fund's annual gifts to these four camps, \$500 each, was varied a little in one case by the need of the camp for a new large electric kitchen stove—a need which a special committee of your Fund found evident when they made a tour of the Fresh Air Camps last summer. It was a revelation, by the way, to see the good work being done by the camps. Happy holidays not only for needy children but for other unfortunates who are crippled, handicapped, elderly and in need of the bright change, the care and comfort the camp can afford, together with the benefit of the change from the hot city surroundings for a while. Your dollars help to bring health and happiness to hundreds in this way!

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| United Church Camp, stove..... | \$779 |
| Salvation Army Camp..... | \$500 |
| Canadian Sunday School Mission Camp.... | \$500 |
| Lakeside (Station McElheran Camp)..... | \$500 |

EASTER GIFTS TO HOSPITALIZED VETERANS, \$1,230

Again this year at Easter, your Fund sent presents of "smoking cheer" in various forms (including pipes) to those who smoke, and candy or other confectionery to the considerable number of non-smokers. The help of Mr. N. Lexier, of the supplier's company, in looking after make-up and packing, grouping for wards, special gifts for diabetics who can't eat sweets, etc., was again of much service and greatly appreciated by your Fund and the recipients. Numerous thank-you letters and cards, both personal and for ward groups, are on file to let you know that your Fund's gifts are most sincerely appreciated by the veterans. Six hundred and fifteen gifts were presented.

SALVATION ARMY RED SHIELD APPEAL, \$3,000

The simple but sincere message from Campaign Director Major S. A. Mundy, ending with the words "May God Bless You" will, we think, make all contributors to your Fund feel thankful they are able to give and have given to help the "Army" in their many good works, for the general help of hundreds among us in need day by day.

"How does the Salvation Army enjoy and merit confidence, trust, respect and affection?" asks their appeal. It gives a half-dozen of the many reasons: It is mobilized 24 hours a day, every day. It works among the most needy. It ministers to people regardless of race, colour or creed. "For God and country, always 'in the front lines' in crisis." It spends your money for the purposes for which it is subscribed. It goes to the depths to reclaim, rehabilitate, rebuild, fellow humans.

Two Great New Projects

Received Your Help

The members of the Young Men's Christian Association who enjoy its recreational and athletic facilities—junior, young men, business men's sections, etc.—pay their way by membership fees. Over the more than 85 years since Winnipeg established its branch of the Y.M.C.A. however, many activities for the good of juvenile as well as older men have been developed, for which no membership revenue is obtainable.

While these activities are supported by private donations as well as help from the Community Chest—in which your Fund shares—the tremendous growth of Winnipeg's Metropolitan area has resulted in the need for more "Y" establishments. These are now located at:

The Central "Y," Winnipeg, now undergoing addition to provide for the increased work; at Elmwood-Kildonan, where a new building is being constructed—swimming pool and shower rooms, locker rooms, lounge and meeting rooms; at North Winnipeg to complete the present building with pool, locker rooms, inside and outside finishing; at St. James where there is a planned addition of gymnasium, locker and meeting rooms, swimming pool, etc. (about half the total being provided by St. James City); at St. Vital for swimming pool addition, meeting rooms, lounge, etc. (nearly half this capital cost being subscribed by St. Vital Kinsmen Club). Camp Stephens, the "Y" summer camp that caters to the needs of hundreds of boys yearly, also needs new buildings and power plant equipment.

"Body, Mind and Spirit"—the famous three aims that make the "Y" triangle, is doing good work in all our Winnipeg district communities, and your Fund has pledged \$15,000 towards this work, spread over this year and the next two at \$5,000 per year. The Company also donated generously—a gift of \$25,000 towards this project.

World Refugee Year Fund



Camp-Clearing Crusade

The Manitoba objective, accepted as part of the world-wide movement to clean out refugee camps, was to raise the necessary \$140,000 to move refugees (227) out of Camp Lohmule into their own homes, at their own jobs in their own country. The world-wide effort is just ending as we write, and your Fund on your behalf donated \$2,000 towards Manitoba's effort.

At left: "Ice cream on Sundays" is a real treat to unfortunate children like these in Camp Lohmule, Germany. Even the poor accommodation shown here is just better than hundreds of thousands of refugees know as their only home.